

Canada and the United States.

M. Mercier's speech at Montreal upon Canadian independence, while it loses some of its importance in the fact that Mercier has a personal grievance against the existing order, still represents a very strong and evidently growing feeling among the people of Lower Canada. Indeed it is not certain that Mercier's diatribes have really impaired his influence among his own people or made him any less a representative man.

He was shown to have taken a "rebate" from his government contractors; but he used the money for campaign purposes, for the benefit of his party against the English party, and he himself is known to be a poor man. His friends therefore look upon him, as he looks upon himself, as a victim of English oppression, and with his undoubted ability, his shrewdness, his eloquence and his French enthusiasm, he is a champion that must be reckoned with.

In this speech at Montreal, which had been carefully prepared and which everybody in Canada will read, Mercier insists that the present constitution of the Dominion has served as long as it could be expected to serve, and that the time has now come to advance a step further and demand constitutional independence. Whether this should lead to union with the United States is for future consideration. He believes such union would be greatly to the advantage of Canada, but it should not be asked until independence has been established and enjoyed, and then only on the deliberate judgment of the people.

It is easy to dismiss all this as a plea of a discredited malcontent, but no one who knows anything of public feeling in Quebec can doubt the strength of the cause to which Mercier gives voice, and this speech is interesting because it treats the subjects in a really dispassionate and statesmanlike spirit, with a comprehension of the present and future relations of the States upon the two sides of the St. Lawrence that is full of inspiring suggestion. The dream of a Federal Union co-extensive with North America is not an idle one, but its realization can come only in the fullness of time, and our side, at least, it is not to be hastened.—Philadelphia Times.

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Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Surviving Partner upon the co-partnership estate of Foley & O'Brien, late of Iron county, have been granted to the undersigned, Michael Foley, Jr., surviving partner, by the Judge of Probate Court of the County of Iron, bearing date the 12th day of January, 1893.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within one year after the date of said return, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of the publication of this notice, they will be forever barred.

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[Final Settlement.]

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of A. Benson, deceased, that the undersigned administrator of said estate, intends to make final settlement thereof at next term of the Probate Court of Iron county, to be held at the court house in Ironton, Iron county, Mo., on the 1st Monday in May next—the same being the 1st day of May A. D. 1893.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

In the Circuit Court of Iron County, Mo., in vacation—February 20th, 1893.

The State of Missouri, at the relation and to the use of P. W. Whitworth, Collector of the Revenue of Iron County, Mo.,

against

Nathaniel V. Barlow, minor, Chas. Scudder, Public Administrator of the City of St. Louis, Mo., G. W. Eltonhead, Thomas Betts and all unknown interested parties.

[Action to Enforce Payment of Taxes.]

That the said Nathaniel V. Barlow and G. W. Eltonhead, are non-residents of the State of Missouri, and cannot be summoned in this action by the ordinary process of law; it is, therefore, ordered by the clerk of the circuit court of Iron County, Mo., in vacation, that publication be made, notifying said defendants that an action has been commenced against them in the Circuit Court of said county, the object and general nature of which is to enforce the lien of the State of Missouri for back taxes for the years 1889 and 1890 inclusive, on the following real estate, belonging to said defendants, to wit:

The west half of the northeast quarter, the east half of the northwest quarter, the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, the east half of the southwest quarter and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter, section 9; all in township 33, range 1 west.

(An itemized statement in the nature of a tax bill, showing the amount of taxes now due on said real estate, for the years aforesaid, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$7.66, is filed with said petition, as provided by law.)

And unless they be and appear at the next term of said court, to be held for the county of Iron, and State of Missouri, at the court house in said county on the fourth Monday in April, next (1893), and on or before the third day thereof (if the term shall continue) and if not, then, before the end of the term, and plead, answer or demur to said plaintiff's petition, the same shall be taken as confessed, judgment rendered in accordance with the prayer of said petition, and said real estate, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, interest and costs, be sold under a special fieri facias to be issued thereon.

It is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Iron County Register, a weekly newspaper published in said county, the State of Missouri.

A true copy: J. HUFF, Clerk Iron county circuit court.

Attest, with seal, this 20th day of February, 1893. J. HUFF, Clerk Iron county circuit court.

FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Samuel Mayberry, deceased, that the undersigned administrator of said estate, intends to make final settlement thereof at the next term of the Probate Court of Iron county, to be held at the court house in Ironton, Iron county, Mo., on the first Monday in May next—the same being the 1st day of May A. D. 1893.

GORDON MATHERREY, Administrator.

Attest, with seal, this 20th day of February, 1893. J. HUFF, Clerk Iron county circuit court.

BURMELL FOX, Attorney at Law,

Centreville Mo. Will practice in all the Courts of the 26th Circuit.